

## Second Annual Ketner Lectureship: Healthcare Evolution

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The Office of Research and Scholarship hosted the Second Annual Ketner Lectureship, featuring guest lecturer Jon Linkous. His presentation was titled "21<sup>st</sup> Century Technology and Artificial Intelligence for Healthcare and Education: The Future is NOW!" Mr. Linkous is recognized as one of the foremost authorities on the use of telecommunications technology to provide health care services. He has lectured and written extensively on healthcare modernization, public policy affecting health technology, emerging applications and market trends in the U.S. and around the world. He has been called upon to advise the federal government and a variety of national and international companies, health systems and investment firms. He is a sought-after speaker on trends and emerging issues related to healthcare and telecommunications. His presentation focused on how artificial intelligence is changing the environment and climate of healthcare. If you missed it, see the full recorded presentation at this link: <http://tinyurl.com/yym1xpfh>



*Dr. Billy Philips presented Mr. Linkous with the Rural Health Challenge Coin.*

*Dr. Alyce Ashcraft offered a special thank you to TTU Horn Professor Dr. Kenneth Ketner for his generosity in helping sponsor this event.*



Special thank you to the panel members who answered audience questions. They included: Mr. Jon Linkous (Speaker), Dr. Susan Calloway (Associate Professor, School of Nursing), Dr. Lori Rice-Spearman (Provost and Chief Academic Officer, and HSC Interim President), and Dr. Billy Philips (Executive VP & Director, Rural and Community Health).

